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Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Official Action dated August 5, 1999 received in the above-identified application. Enclosed herewith is a petition for a three (3) month extension of time and the fee therefor, thereby making this a timely response.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees, including any extension fees, or other relief, as may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account New 06-1300 (Our Order No. A-66805/RFT/SJR). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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